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For: PORTABLE MUSCLE STIMULATOR )  
WITH PULSE WIDTH CONTROL )



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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2000, please amend the application as follows:

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IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

43. (Amended) A device for use by a patient in an unsupervised manner, the device comprising:

a removable data storage for storing data relating to at least one of usage and operation of a Class

II device by the patient; and

a header for communicating with the removable data storage to retrieve the data relating to said at least one of the usage and the operation of the Class II device;

wherein the removable data storage does not contain information used to control the Class II device.

44. (Amended) The device of claim 43, wherein said removable data storage comprises a

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